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BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

Fifteenth Annual Report

ON THE

COUNTY PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Committee of Visitors.

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Bucks (to wit).—To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace assembled at the GENERAL QUARTER SESSION OF THE PEACE, to be holden at AYLESBURY, in and for the said County, on MONDAY, the 30th day of DECEMBER, 1867.

THE ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS ELECTED AT THE EPIPHANY SESSION, 1867, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM AT STONE, FOR THE PAUPER LUNATICS OF THE COUNTY, UNDER THE STATUTE 16th & 17th VIC., CAP. 97, SS. 22 AND 62.

SHEWETH,—That your Committee report, in the terms of the Statute, that the “State and Condition” of the Asylum have been satisfactory throughout the year, but the accommodation is at present not sufficient and proper for the number of patients, as will appear by the Reports* of your Committee, presented to the Court at the last Midsummer and Michaelmas Quarter Sessions, to which your Committee now refer the Court.

The conduct and efficiency of the several Officers and Servants continue to be satisfactory, and no change amongst the Officers has taken place during the past year.

The full number of Patients on 19th December instant, the day of the last Meeting of your Committee, was 324, namely, Males 135, Females 189.

The number of Patients admitted since the commencement of the year has been 82: namely 42 Males and 40 Females.

The amount per head per week charged to the Unions in this County having Patients during the four Quarters has been respectively 9s. 11d., 9s. 4d., 9s. 4d., and 9s. 4d., being a small increase of charge as compared with that made for the year 1866, amounting to 3½d. per head per week, but this increase is attributable to the great rise which has taken place in the price of many articles of provisions during the past year.

The following is a Table shewing the Cost of the Maintenance.

* Copies of these Reports are subjoined.

TABLE SHOWING THE COST OF MAINTENANCE.

- Column 1 contains the Cost of the Provisions consumed by the Patients.
- ” 2 the Cost of Fuel and other Necessaries.
- ” 3 the Cost of Clothing, Utensils, Surgery, Garden, and Miscellaneous Articles, after deducting the Receipts of the Establishment.
- ” 4 the Amount of Salaries of Officers and Servants, and Cost of Provisions consumed by them.

	1.		2.		3.		4.		Total of Columns Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, being the Total cost on which the rate of Maintenance of the Patients is calculated.	Rate of Maintenance per Patient per Week.	Rate of Charge on the Unions per Patient per Week.	Aggregate Number of Days' Maintenance of Patients.
	Cost of Provisions consumed by Patients.	Rate per Patient per Week.	Cost of Fuel and other Necessaries.	Rate per Patient per Week.	Cost of Clothing, Utensils, Surgery, Garden, and Miscellaneous Articles, deducting Receipts.	Rate per Patient per Week.	The Amount of Salaries of Officers and Servants, and Cost of Provisions consumed by them.	Rate per Patient per Week.				
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Your Committee subjoin a Summary, shewing the number of Patients at the end of each year since the opening of the Asylum up to the 21st of December, 1867:—

YEAR.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
1853	62	95	157
1854	73	97	170
1855	82	113	195
1856	80	115	195
1857	95	118	213
1858	116	134	250
1859	112	143	255
1860	108	135	243
1861	120	146	266
1862	129	145	274
1863	133	153	286
1864	129	150	279
1865	137	164	301
1866	132	191	323
1867	136	190	326

Two of the Commissioners in Lunacy, Mr. Campbell and Dr. Wilkes, visited the Asylum on the 17th of May last, and the following is a copy of their Report upon this occasion:—

(COPY.)

BUCKS COUNTY ASYLUM,

17th MAY, 1867.

The Patients on the books of this Asylum are now 320 in number, of whom 137 are men and 183 are women.

One of the women is away on probation; all the rest have this day been personally examined by us, and we have inspected the various wards and offices.

We have the satisfaction of reporting most favourably of the personal condition and management of the patients, who, at the time of our visit, were remarkably quiet and orderly, and presented a clean, comfortable, and contented appearance.

One of the men was in bed in a darkened room, in consequence of having exhibited maniacal excitement during the morning, but the door was not locked, and he cannot be considered as being in seclusion. An examination of the Medical Journal shows that the instances of seclusion since the last visit have not been numerous, and no case of mechanical restraint

is reported; indeed, instrumental restraint in any form has never been employed.

There is a somewhat large proportion of old feeble cases, but the general health is good, and only four patients of each sex were in bed to-day in consequence of bodily illness. The numbers under medical treatment, according to the last report, are 7 of the male and 13 of the female sex.

Since our colleagues' visit on the 6th of last June, 26 deaths have occurred, viz., 13 men and 12 females of the pauper class, and 1 female, a private patient.

No disease of an epidemic character has prevailed, no fatal accident or sudden death has occurred, and no inquest has been held.

Thirty-four men and thirty-six women of the pauper class have been admitted, and also one woman a private patient.

The discharges have been 14 in the male and 22 in the female division, 1 male and 2 females being of the private class.

As regards matters of statutory enquiry we find that Divine Service is performed once on Sunday by the chaplain, but there are no week day services except the daily prayers which are read by the attendants. We think that more frequent services would be desirable, and especially as the chapel is too small to contain all the patients who could attend. The need of a large room in which to assemble the patients of both sexes for recreation and amusement is much felt, and we hope, therefore, that the Committee of Visitors will take into their early consideration the question of erecting another chapel of adequate size, and appropriating the present one for a general dining and recreation hall, for which with very little alteration it is well adapted.

The occupations and amusements are the same as usual, a considerable number of the men are employed on the land, and all the clothes and shoes are made on the premises. The women, to the number of about 22, work in the washhouse and laundry, and from 80 to 85 are employed in other ways.

The practice of taking patients beyond the Asylum grounds is continued, and last Sunday upwards of 100 of both sexes were walking out.

The dietary has not been altered; the dinner to-day consisted of meat and potatoes with bread and beer, and the quality of the food was excellent.

All the wards were particularly clean, and they presented a comfortable, well-furnished appearance. The gardens and airing courts were also in excellent order. The bedding, which consists of horsehair throughout, was clean and well kept.

The number of vacant beds is now 2 in the male, and 8 in the female,

division, but some additional room could be obtained by the discharge of private and out-county patients, of whom there are now 18 in the house, viz., 4 males and 2 females private, 7 Oxford patients, all of the male sex, and 3 men and 2 women from the county of Middlesex. As in the past year there was an increase of 25 patients in the female division alone; it is evident that the question of a further extension of the building should be taken into consideration at the earliest possible period. In connection with this subject we have to recommend that the Infirmary day rooms on both sides be enlarged, and that apartments for an assistant medical officer (whose appointment has become necessary) should be added on the male side, and also that provision should be made for the accommodation of a married attendant and his wife, whose services would be most advantageous in this department.

The hot water cisterns of the baths are too small to allow of each patient being bathed in separate water. This matter requires attention, and printed rules for the guidance of the attendants in bathing the patients should be hung in each bath room.

The condition of the Asylum and its inmates is very creditable to the Superintendent and Matron, and we thought the attendants, who are sufficiently numerous, were attentive and kind in the performance of their duties.

(Signed)

W. G. CAMPBELL { Commissioners
JAMES WILKES { in Lunacy.

ENLARGEMENT OF THE ASYLUM.

The Court at the last Quarter Session, having directed your Committee to cause each of the Wings of the Asylum to be enlarged according to certain Designs prepared by Mr. Brandon, the Architect, then submitted to the Court, so as to render each of these Wings capable of accommodating 50 additional Patients on either side, these plans have since been submitted to the Commissioners in Lunacy, who suggested some alterations in the details not involving any additional expense, of which your Committee approve. The Plans and other necessary Drawings are now complete, and, subject to the approbation of the Court at this Session, the Commissioners in Lunacy are prepared forthwith to recommend them for sanction by the Secretary of State, pursuant to sec. 45 of the statute.

NEW CHAPEL.—In pursuance also of the Order of the Court at the last Sessions your Committee, with the assistance and under the advice of Mr. Humphry, the Resident Medical Superintendent, and of Mr. Brandon, the Architect, have arrived at the conclusion that no addition to the present Building can be constructed so as to provide proper and decent accommodation for the patients attending Divine service.

Your Committee therefore decidedly recommend that a separate Chapel, as a distinct Building, should be erected, and they submit to the Court, for their consideration and approval accordingly, the Plans for the erection of such a Chapel, calculated to contain sittings for about 240 persons, the cost of which (including a warming apparatus) is estimated at £1350, but this estimate is made upon the supposition that these works be carried out at the same time with the other intended alterations, if otherwise a larger outlay will be necessary.

Your Committee refer the Court to the Report of Mr. Brandon upon this subject.

As soon as the Plans of the proposed works have received the sanction of the Secretary of State the Committee of Visitors will be in a position to invite Tenders for the execution of the same by competition, so that the works may be commenced at the early part of the month of March next.

LOAN.—The cost of the whole of these works, including Architect's Commission, the Wages of a Clerk of the Works, and other Contingencies, will amount to £9,000 and upwards, and inasmuch as provision must be made for the cost of furnishing both these additional wings, and other incidentals which will probably amount to £1,500 more, your Committee recommend that a sum of £10,000 at least be borrowed upon Mortgage of the Rates of the County to defray these costs and expenses, pursuant to the 46th and 47th secs. of the Statute.

In the Appendix No. 1 will be found an Abstract of the County Treasurer's Accounts, as to the payment of Instalments of the principal monies and the interest thereof.

In the Appendix No. 2 is shown the amount expended in Repairs, Additions, Alterations, and Improvements, under sec. 38 of the Statute; it also contains a Statement of the "Building and Repairs" Account.

In the Appendix No. 3 will be found a General Statement and Balance Sheet of the Maintenance Account.

And in Appendix No. 4 will be found an Abstract of the Garden and Farm Account for the year 1867.

It is now the province of the Court of Quarter Sessions to appoint a Committee of Visitors for the ensuing year, pursuant to the 22nd sec. of the Statute.

(Signed)

PETER THOS. OUVRY,

CHAIRMAN.

[COPY.]

Bucks (to wit).—*To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace assembled at the GENERAL QUARTER SESSION OF THE PEACE, to be holden at AYLESBURY, on MONDAY, the 1st day of JULY, 1867.*

THE REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS ELECTED AT THE EPIPHANY SESSION, 1867, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM AT STONE, FOR THE PAUPER LUNATICS OF THE COUNTY, UNDER THE STATUTE 16th & 17th VIC., CAP. 97, SS. 22 AND 62.

SHEWETH,—That your Committee feel it to be their duty to lay before the Court, at the earliest practicable moment, an extract from a minute made by two of the Commissioners in Lunacy on their recent visit of inspection at the Asylum. The Commissioners, whilst reporting most favourably of the state and condition of the Establishment, point out in a marked manner that, owing to the continued increase in the number of patients, it appears to them that the exigencies of the Asylum will compel a further enlargement of the building, as well as other considerable alterations and additions to it. Your Committee, therefore, suggest that the Magistrates should well weigh the recommendations made by the Commissioners, and, after due deliberation, give instructions to your Committee with reference thereto. (*For the extract herein referred to see the full minute of the two Commissioners in Lunacy printed at pages, 5, 6, and 7.*)

The Committee have carried out the recommendation made by the Commissioners by the discharge of the patients not belonging to this County.

(Signed)

PETER THOMAS OUVRY,

CHAIRMAN.

[COPY.]

Bucks (to wit).—*To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace assembled at the GENERAL QUARTER SESSION OF THE PEACE, to be holden at Aylesbury, on MONDAY, the 14th day of OCTOBER, 1867.*

THE REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS ELECTED AT THE EPIPHANY SESSION, 1867, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM AT STONE, FOR THE PAUPER LUNATICS OF THE COUNTY, UNDER THE STATUTE 16th & 17th VIC., CAP. 97, SS. 22 AND 62.

SHEWETH,—That your Committee refer the Court to their Report which was presented to the last Session upon the subject of the enlargement of the Asylum, and they now submit for the consideration of the Court the designs prepared by Mr. Brandon, the Architect, for enlarging the Asylum, so as to afford accommodation for 50 additional patients of each sex; the total estimated cost of these additions is £7,075 (exclusive of architect's commission and wages of a Clerk of the Works, and the necessary furniture and fittings).

The addition of a separate Chapel as recommended in the minute of the Commissioners in Lunacy which is appended to the last report of your Committee, is highly desirable, and is, indeed, essential. This cost of a separate Chapel, according to the estimate of Mr. Brandon, would absorb a further sum of £1,500.

Your Committee submit these matters for the consideration and decision of the Court.

(Signed)

PETER THOMAS OUVRY,

CHAIRMAN.

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

TO THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS OF THE PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM
FOR THE COUNTY OF BUCKINGHAM.

GENTLEMEN,

In submitting to your notice the fifteenth annual report of the Asylum, with the usual statistical tables, it is gratifying to announce that no untoward incident has occurred. The Commissioners in Lunacy visited the Asylum on the 17th of May, and reported favourably of the condition of the Institution and its inmates.

The number of patients on the books, on the 15th of December, 1866, was 323, viz., 132 men and 191 women. During the past year 82 patients have been admitted, viz., 42 men and 40 women, making a total, under care and treatment, of 405. Of this number, 33 have been discharged recovered, 6 relieved, 7 were removed to other asylums not improved, and 33 died.

The total number in the Asylum during the year 1867 has been 18 more than in 1866, while the average daily number resident has been 322, or an increase of 12 on the previous year.

Of the 82 patients admitted during the past twelve months, only 14 are recorded as being in good general health. Sixteen had been under treatment in the Asylum at various times in former years. Only 20 per cent. of those admitted could be placed in the first-class, which comprises cases of the first attack and of not more than three months duration ;

while 31, or about 40 per cent., had been insane for periods varying from one year to eighteen.

A marked suicidal tendency was present in 17 of the persons admitted, several of whom had attempted self-destruction in various ways. One, a female, having previously attempted to cut her throat, had nearly severed a portion of her foot, having chopped through, with an axe, the metatarsal bones and ligaments of two of her toes and the phalanges of two others. The bones have, however, united, and she is in a fair way towards recovery. Another patient was admitted, having been stabbed by her husband in the left breast.

The discharges on recovery, consisting of 15 men and 18 women, constitute an average of 40 per cent. on the admissions.

The mortality during the year amounted to 33 (17 men and 16 women), being at the rate of 10 per cent. on the average daily number resident, or 8 per cent. on the total number under treatment. Twenty-one, or nearly two-thirds of the whole number of deaths, arose from cerebral or spinal disease, twelve were over 60 years of age, and four had been in the Asylum less than a month. The average age at death was—males, 51; females, 54.

In no instance did the circumstances attending the decease of an inmate necessitate a Coroner's inquest.

Five patients escaped during the year; all were brought back within a few hours of their leaving.

The general health of the inmates has been good, and there has been an entire freedom from any epidemic disease. Only 20 patients out of 326 now resident, afford any reasonable hope of recovery, leaving upwards of 300 perfectly incurable, of whom 46 suffer also from Epilepsy.

The system of occupation has not varied materially from that pursued in former years. Usually about two-thirds of each sex are employed in a manner suited to their capacity.

With regard to the amusements provided for the patients, the limited space at our command precludes the possibility of carrying them out in an efficient manner. We are, however, looking forward to the time when, in consequence of a new Chapel being about to be built, the room now

used for the celebration of Divine Service may be used for the purposes of recreation.

Early in January a fire occurred in the drying closet of the laundry, from a flue becoming overheated. It was soon extinguished, but a quantity of linen and wearing apparel being burnt, the damages, amounting to £25, were repaid by the Insurance Company.

I take this opportunity of acknowledging the kind and efficient help which I have received from the officers of the asylum, and my sense of the attention and industry of the attendants and servants generally. An old and valued female attendant died last February, after 12 years' service.

In concluding this Report, I beg to thank you for the confidence you have placed in me, and for the support with which you have favored me in the discharge of my responsible duties.

I am,

GENTLEMEN,

Your obedient Servant,

J. HUMPHRY.

TABLE I.—*Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year 1867.*

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
In the Asylum 15th December, 1866	132	191	323
	M. F. TOTAL.		
Admitted for the first time during the year	31 35 66		
Re-admitted during the year	11 5 16		
Total admitted	42	40	82
Total under care during the year	174	231	405
Discharged or Removed :			
Recovered	15 18 33		
Relieved	2 4 6		
Not Improved	4 3 7		
Died	17 16 33		
Total discharged and died during the year	38	41	79
Remaining in the Asylum 21st December, 1867	136	190	326
Average numbers resident during the year	136	186	322

TABLE II.—*Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, from the opening of the Asylum to the present date, December 21st, 1867.*

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Persons admitted during the period of 15 years	619	592	1211
Re-admissions " "	67	58	125
Total of cases admitted	686	650	1336
	M. F. TOTAL.		
Discharged or Removed :			
Recovered	200 188 388		
Relieved	28 41 69		
Not Improved	107 71 178		
Died	215 160 375		
Total discharged and died during the 15 years	550	460	1010
Remaining the 21st December, 1867	136	190	326

TABLE III.—*Showing the form of Disorder on Admission.*

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Mania, Recent and Acute	16	14	30
" Chronic	4	8	12
" with Epilepsy	3	3	6
" with Paralysis	0	0	0
" with General Paralysis	3	1	4
" Puerperal	0	2	2
" Recurrent	1	0	1
Melancholia	7	8	15
Dementia	2	4	6
" with Epilepsy	2	0	2
" with Paralysis	2	0	2
Congenital Imbecility	1	0	1
Idiotcy	1	0	1
	42	40	82

TABLE IV.—*Showing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths; with the mean Annual Mortality and Proportion of Recoveries per cent. of the Admissions, for each year since the opening of the Asylum.*

Year.	Admitted.			Discharged.						Died.			Remaining from each year's admission, Dec. 21, 1867.			Average numbers resident.			Per centage of Recoveries on Admissions.			Per centage of Deaths on average num-bers resident.		
				Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.														
				M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.												
1853..	81	110	191	6	7	13	..	..	..	2	..	2	12	8	20	22	41	63	..	..	135	..	..	14
1854..	29	19	48	9	10	19	..	1	1	1	1	2	10	5	15	3	2	5	..	..	162	..	..	9
1855..	34	38	72	12	14	26	1	2	3	1	..	1	8	6	14	3	6	9	..	..	184	..	..	7
1856..	31	33	64	11	15	26	2	1	3	4	1	5	16	14	30	4	4	8	..	..	187	..	..	16
1857..	52	36	88	18	16	34	1	7	8	1	5	6	16	6	22	5	4	9	..	..	200	..	..	11
1858..	63	48	111	18	12	30	1	4	5	8	5	13	16	9	25	3	6	9	..	..	225	..	..	11
1859..	70	62	132	17	19	36	4	6	10	37	14	51	16	15	31	5	9	14	..	..	248	..	..	12
1860..	50	35	85	21	17	38	2	3	5	13	11	24	18	12	30	7	7	14	..	..	249	..	..	12
1861..	44	35	79	13	10	23	4	5	9	3	3	6	12	6	18	12	11	23	..	..	254	..	..	7
1862..	40	30	70	14	4	18	2	1	3	2	9	11	13	17	30	10	12	22	..	..	270	..	..	11
1863..	43	40	83	9	14	23	1	1	2	15	11	26	14	6	20	10	9	19	..	..	283	..	..	7
1864..	33	28	61	12	10	22	1	..	1	9	3	12	15	18	33	12	7	19	133	153	286	36	36	11
1865..	38	46	84	9	9	18	3	3	6	6	3	9	12	17	29	10	21	31	130	154	284	23	19	10
1866..	36	50	86	16	13	29	4	3	7	1	2	3	20	5	25	2	22	24	131	179	310	44	26	9
1867..	42	40	82	15	18	33	2	4	6	4	3	7	17	16	33	28	29	57	136	186	322	35	45	10
Totals. (15 yrs.)	686	650	1336	200	188	388	28	41	69	107	71	178	215	160	375	136	190	326	..	..	..	..	..	..

TABLE V.—*Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since the Opening of the Asylum, with the Discharges and Deaths, and the number of Patients of each year remaining on the 21st December, 1867.*

Year.	Admitted.			No. of Patients Discharged and Died in 1867.												Total Discharged and Died of each Year's Admissions.												Remaining of each year's admissions, 21st Dec, 1867.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
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TABLE VI.—*Showing the Causes of Death during the year.*

CAUSES OF DEATH.			
	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Cerebral or Spinal Disease :			
Apoplexy and Paralysis	2	1	3
Epilepsy and Convulsions	2	4	6
General Paresis	2	1	3
Maniacal and Melancholic exhaustion.....	2	1	3
Inflammation, and other Diseases of the Brain, Softening, &c.	3	3	6
Thoracic Disease :			
Inflammation of the Lungs, Pleuræ and Bronchi ..	3	0	3
Pulmonary Consumption	1	1	2
Disease of the Heart, &c.	0	1	1
Abdominal Disease :			
Inflammation of the Stomach, Intestines, or Peri- toneum	0	0	0
Dysentery and Diarrhœa	0	2	2
Pelvic Abscess	0	0	0
Exanthemata	0	0	0
Erysipelas	1	0	1
Cancer	0	0	0
Anœmia	0	0	0
General Debility and Old Age	1	2	3
Accidents.....	0	0	0
Suicide.....	0	0	0
Total	17	16	33
Average Age at Death—Males, 51 ; Females, 54.			

TABLE VII.—*Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered, and in those who have Died, during the Year.*

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE.			RECOVERED.			DIED.		
			M.	F.	TOTAL.	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Under 1 month			0	1	1	3	1	4
From 1 to 3 months			4	6	10	1	0	1
„ 3 „ 6 „			6	5	11	1	0	1
„ 6 „ 9 „			2	2	4	1	0	1
„ 9 „ 12 „			2	1	3	4	1	5
„ 1 „ 2 years			1	1	2	3	2	5
„ 2 „ 3 „			0	1	1	2	2	4
„ 3 „ 5 „			0	1	1	1	4	5
„ 5 „ 7 „			0	0	0	1	1	2
„ 7 „ 10 „			0	0	0	0	0	0
„ 10 „ 12 „			0	0	0	0	3	3
„ 12 „ 15 „			0	0	0	0	2	2
Total			15	18	33	17	16	33

TABLE VIII.—*Showing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission, in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year.*

Class.	Duration of Disease on Admission, in Four Classes.											
	On Admission.			Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.			Died.		
	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
FIRST CLASS— First attack, and within 3 months on admission....	9	7	16	8	4	12	..	1	1	3	4	7
SECOND CLASS— First attack, above 3 and within 12 months on admission	6	13	19	..	7	7	.	4	4	4	2	6
THIRD CLASS— Not first attack, and within 12 months on admission	11	5	16	6	6	12	1	..	1	4	..	4
FOURTH CLASS— First attack or not, but of more than 12 months on admission	16	15	31	1	1	2	5	2	7	6	10	16
Total	42	40	82	15	18	33	6	7	13	17	16	33

TABLE IX.—*Showing the Ages of the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year.*

Ages.	The Admissions.			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
							M.	F.	Tot.			
From 5 to 10 years.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ 10 „ 15 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..
„ 15 „ 20 „	1	1	2	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
„ 20 „ 30 „	6	11	17	7	5	12	1	..	1	1	1	2
„ 30 „ 40 „	8	8	16	4	7	11	..	1	1	4	3	7
„ 40 „ 50 „	13	6	19	..	2	2	3	..	3	4	3	7
„ 50 „ 60 „	5	6	11	3	3	6	..	3	3	1	4	5
„ 60 „ 70 „	7	3	10	1	..	1	1	..	1	4	1	5
„ 70 „ 80 „	1	5	6	..	..	..	..	2	2	3	3	6
„ 80 „ 90 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total	42	40	82	15	18	33	6	7	13	17	16	33

TABLE X.—*Condition as to Marriage in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year.*

Condition in reference to Marriage.	The Admissions.			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
	M.	F.	Tot.				M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
Single	13	13	26	8	7	15	4	2	6	5	6	11
Married	26	22	48	7	10	17	2	5	7	9	5	14
Widowed	3	5	8	..	1	1	..	..	..	3	5	8
Total	42	40	82	15	18	33	6	7	13	17	16	33

TABLE XI.—*State of the Cases remaining in the Asylum on the 21st of December, 1867.*

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Chronic or Incurable Cases	127	179	306
Probably Curable	9	11	20
	136	190	326

TABLE XII.—*Abstract of Returns made by Clerks of Unions, February, 1868.*

UNIONS.	In County Asylum.		In other Asylums.		In Work-houses.		With Friends.		TOTALS.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Tot.
Amersham	16	33	..	..	5	4	6	5	27	42	69
Aylesbury	23	28	..	..	3	2	3	6	29	36	65
Berkhampstead .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bicester .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Brackley .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Buckingham	10	12	..	..	1	3	..	1	11	16	27
Eton	16	32	..	..	..	6	..	1	16	39	55
Henley	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3
Leighton	7	12	..	..	4	1	2	6	13	19	32
Newport Pagnell	18	28	..	..	2	9	10	5	30	42	72
Potterspury	4	6	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	6	11
Thame .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	2	3
Winslow	7	3	..	..	7	3	..	1	14	7	21
Wycombe	22	30	..	..	6	9	5	3	33	42	75
Total	125	188	..	..	29	37	27	29	181	254	435

RETURN OF ARTICLES MADE AND REPAIRED

BY THE PATIENTS,

From December, 1866, to December, 1867.

	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Shirts	226	1431
Chemises	189	2312
Dresses.....	211	2094
Night Gowns	—	478
Day Caps.....	116	251
Night ditto	59	220
Flannel Petticoats.....	61	626
Upper ditto.....	—	648
Print Aprons	396	1727
Linen ditto	10	—
Hose.....	—	7372
Flannel Vests	74	577
Calico Drawers	18	46
Men's Neckerchiefs	309	316
Women's ditto	288	206
Pocket Handkerchiefs	294	128
Pinafores	64	457
Garden Hoods	22	142
Tuscan Bonnets Trimmed	59	—
Stays	—	109

	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Slops.....	—	19
Striped Chair Covers.....	9	—
Attendants' Sheets	23	229
Ditto Pillow Cases.....	2	212
Patients' Sheets	147	1472
Bolster Cases	118	1030
Chintz Valances.....	24	30
Book Muslin ditto.....	15	—
Ditto Curtains	106	—
Window Blinds	14	20
Tea Cloths	85	110
Table ditto	50	137
House ditto.....	99	—
Pudding ditto.....	54	—
Bath Sheets.....	8	30
Dimity Curtains.....	14	27
Counterpanes Bound	29	271
Blankets Worked Over.....	157	291
Iron Holders	86	—
Shrouds	51	—

WORK DONE IN THE SHOEMAKER'S SHOP

From December, 1866, to December, 1867.

	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Men's Leather Bluchers	Pairs 112	401 $\frac{1}{2}$
„ „ Slippers	„ 25	158
„ Carpet Slippers and Bluchers	„ 68	99
Women's Leather Boots	„ 76	251
„ Cloth ditto	„ 106	174 $\frac{1}{2}$
„ „ Slippers	„ 2	—
Attendants' Leather Belts	2	—
Made one Engine Band		

WORK DONE IN THE TAILOR'S SHOP

From December, 1866, to December, 1867.

	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Men's Cloth and Corduroy Jackets	No. 34	342
„ „ Waistcoats	„ 28	307
„ „ Trowsers	Pairs 108	699
Men's Braces	„ 75	—
„ Epileptic Caps	No. 12	—
„ Flannel Suits	„ 2	—
Quilted Rugs	„ 27	—
Mattress Ticks	„ 38	—
Bolster ditto	„ 37	—
Macintosh Mattress Covers	„ 5	—
„ Cushions ditto	„ 3	—
Covering Settees	„ 4	—
„ Chairs	„ 1	—
Laundry Aprons	„ 16	—
Carpets Bound	„ 37	—

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

TO THE VISITING JUSTICES OF THE BUCKS PAUPER LUNATIC
ASYLUM.

GENTLEMEN,

In accordance with the rules under which I have been appointed Chaplain to your Institution, I have to deliver you a statement of the condition of the Patients during the year now closing, accompanied by such observations as appear to me to bear upon the subject.

The public service in the Chapel on the Sabbath, and the visits in the galleries during the week when counsel and advice is administered to those patients who need it, have been precisely the same as those in previous years. I have only to repeat what I have stated on former similar occasions, that the better class of patients, with very few exceptions, are eager to receive instruction and most anxious to attend the service on the Sabbath. No special circumstances having arisen, I find that I have no new observations to offer, but beg to call your attention again to the circumstance that, consequent upon the increase of the number of patients, there is a want of room in the chapel for all who are desirous of attending the public worship of God. The Commissioners have referred in their report to this want, and I would humbly submit that a second service on the Sabbath would in some measure supply the deficiency, and at the same time be a great boon to many who, after reading their Bibles, find the Sunday afternoon long and wearisome, and who would be only too glad to avail themselves of the opportunity of attending such evening service.

Looking back with satisfaction on the patience and submission exhibited by these poor people, the readiness with which they listen to the Gospel message, I cannot but anticipate that the future will be equally gratifying, an end to which my own best energies shall not be wanting, and to which I believe, under God's blessing, we may confidently look forward.

I remain, GENTLEMEN,

Your obedient humble Servant,

CHARLES LOWNDES.

Hartwell Rectory, December 16th, 1867.

APPENDIX No. 1.

Abstract of the Account of the Receipts and Payments by the County Treasurer in respect of the Principal Monies borrowed on Security of the County Rates, and the Interest thereof, pursuant to the 49th section of the Statute 16 and 17 Vic., cap 97.

RECEIPTS.

1867.	£	s.	d.
Balance of last Account in the hands of the Treasurer brought forward.....	522	11	8
Arrears of County Rate, last year	14	9	4
County Rates at $\frac{1}{4}$ d. and $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the Pound, granted during this year	2,795	12	9
	2,810	2	1
Addition of £10 per cent. penalty, under "The Bucks County Rate Amendment Act, 1860," 23 Vict. cap. 86, sec. 2 (Local and Personal) for levy of Rates on the Parishes of Hughenden and West Wycombe....	3	1	2
Amount of the contribution payable by the Borough of Buckingham towards the expenses of and incident to erecting and providing the Asylum, pursuant to sec. 9 of the Act, for the year 1866	66	4	10
	£3,401	19	9

PAYMENTS.

1867.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To the Alliance Assurance Company, for Interest payable to them during this year less Income Tax.....	1,088	12	2			
To the Alliance Assurance Company, Re-payment of Principal	1,711	14	7	2,800	6	9
				18	19	10
To Collector of Income Tax, the sum retained.....				2	4	0
Cost of recovery of Rates from the Parishes of Hughenden and West Wycombe.....				0	12	6
Receipt Stamps for County Rates and Postages				579	16	8
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer						

£3,401 19 9

Balance of Principal brought forward	£26,102	9	2
Repayment of Principal (as above)	1,711	14	7

Total of Principal Money borrowed £49,500 0 0

Balance of Principal now due..... £24,390 14 7

APPENDIX No. 2.

Abstract of the Building and Repairs Account

RECEIPTS

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
From the Treasurer of the County				900	0	0
Excess over the actual rate charged for the Maintenance of Pauper Patients belonging to Parishes in the County, for the Maintenance of Hannah Arabella Fendick, John Taylor Finch, Maria Nicholls, William Pratt, William Stacey, Elizabeth Stears, Valentine Willifer, and Sarah Wyatt, Private Patients				63	14	2
The like from the following Unions :—						
Barnet, Middlesex	10	11	1			
Edmonton, Middlesex	0	15	2			
Fulham, Middlesex	13	9	0			
Hemel Hempstead, Herts	4	18	8			
Littlemore Asylum, Oxford	83	18	3			
Staines, Middlesex	7	7	9			
Strand, Middlesex	1	5	8			
Uxbridge, Middlesex	11	19	9			
				134	5	4
From the Treasurer of the Borough of Buckingham, pro- portion payable by the said Borough, of the Money expended under this head, pursuant to sec. 9 of the Act, for the year ending 15th December, 1866				27	6	2
For Slates supplied to Contracor				1	0	0
For Bedding and Drying Horses destroyed by Fire				11	0	5

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer from last year

1,137	6	1
117	4	3
1,254	10	4

APPENDIX No. 2.

For the Year ending 21st December, 1867.

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Ordinary Repairs :—</i>						
Bricklayer, Bricks, Lime, Sand, and Cement.....	98	13	9			
Carpenter and Timber	83	7	8			
Stonemason	4	12	1			
Plumber, Painter, Oils and Colours, &c.....	102	4	4			
Slater and Slates.....	38	10	6			
	<hr/>			327	8	4
Engineer	123	10	6			
Steam Apparatus.....	11	10	7			
Laundry	33	13	7			
Gasworks and Fittings	40	1	11			
Water Service	4	5	5			
	<hr/>			213	2	0
Ironmonger.....	68	8	8			
Locksmith	7	1	3			
Windguards and Stoves	29	13	0			
Glass.....	13	19	5			
	<hr/>			119	2	4
Cooper				4	7	8
Upholsterer.....	151	3	11			
Bedding	172	1	11			
Table Linen, Towelling, &c.....	43	7	10			
House Baize	27	16	9			
	<hr/>			394	10	5
Musical Instruments	6	7	10			
Airing Courts and Roads	17	2	5			
Fire Insurance.....	2	2	0			
Drains	3	9	6			
Tools and Implements	7	8	9			
Miscellaneous	4	8	9			
	<hr/>			40	19	3

Additions, Alterations, and Improvements :—

Fittings	2	17	5			
Laundry	4	7	10			
Room for Assistant Steward.....	17	3	2			
	<hr/>			24	8	5
For Purchase of slip of Plantation Ground from the Trustees of the late Dr. Lee, and Solicitor's Costs				36	5	2
	<hr/>			1,160	3	7
Balance due to the House Steward last year.....				4	8	4
	<hr/>			1,164	11	11
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer				84	10	7
Balance in the hands of the House Steward.....				5	7	10
	<hr/>			£1,254	10	4
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APPENDIX No. 3.

GENERAL STATEMENT of the MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

Account of Receipts and Payments for the Year ending 21st December, 1867, as prepared by the Clerk of the Asylum, pursuant to the Statute 16th and 17th Vict., c. 97, sec. 58.

RECEIPTS.

<i>From Unions in the County :—</i>	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
For Pauper Patients, at 9s. 11d., 9s. 4d., 9s. 4d., and 9s. 4d. per week, viz. :—						
Amersham	1,159	7	6			
Aylesbury	1,267	17	7			
Buckingham	545	18	8			
Bicester	21	10	0			
Brackley	25	2	3			
Eton	1,156	8	9			
Henley	68	14	7			
Leighton Buzzard	435	18	9			
Newport Pagnell	1,167	13	4			
Potterspury	254	14	9			
Thame	29	5	10			
Winslow	245	0	8			
Wycombe	1,261	3	5			
				7,638	16	1
<i>From Unions in other Counties :—</i>						
For Pauper Patients, at 14s. per week, viz. :—						
Barnet (Middlesex)	32	16	0			
Edmonton (Middlesex)	2	12	0			
Fulham (Middlesex)	42	12	0			
Hemel Hempstead (Herts)	14	16	0			
Littlemore Asylum (Oxford)	259	14	0			
Staines (Middlesex)	23	6	0			
Strand (Middlesex)	4	8	0			
Uxbridge (Middlesex)	37	2	0			
				417	6	0
<i>For Repayment of Funerals, Relief, &c. :—</i>						
Amersham	2	0	0			
Aylesbury	1	0	0			
Barnet (Middlesex)	2	1	8			
Buckingham	2	0	0			
Eton	8	15	0			
Hemel Hempstead (Herts)	1	0	0			
Henley	3	10	0			
Leighton Buzzard	2	0	0			
Newport Pagnell	3	10	0			
Potterspury	1	0	0			
Staines (Middlesex)	1	8	10			
Thame	1	0	0			
Wycombe	3	0	0			
County Treasurer	2	4	0			
				34	9	6
From County Treasurer for Criminal and other Lunatics				75	13	4
Carried forward				£8,166	4	11

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				8,166	4	11
<i>From Private Patients :—</i>						
Hannah Arabella Fendick	39	15	0			
John Taylor Finch	19	10	0			
Maria Nicholls	39	15	0			
William Pratt.....	23	2	11			
William Stacey	16	16	0			
Elizabeth Stears.....	6	17	2			
Valentine Willifer	37	2	0			
Sarah Wyatt	3	15	0			
				186	13	1
<i>Establishment :—</i>						
For Repair of Boots, &c. (Private Patients).....	3	14	2			
„ Sale of Lace and Plait	0	10	3			
„ Clothing destroyed by a Fire	12	16	8			
				17	1	1
„ Butter returned into Store	15	0	0			
„ Tea, surplus	6	17	6			
„ Port Wine, ditto	0	7	6			
„ Sale and Consumption of Dripping	98	12	7 $\frac{1}{4}$			
„ Sale of old Rags and Bones.....	12	11	0			
„ Sale of Tea Chests, old Matting, &c.....	2	10	7			
„ Sale of old Brass, Copper, and Iron	7	18	8			
„ Coal, surplus of, delivered by the Contractors	8	10	4 $\frac{3}{4}$			
„ Forfeits by Attendants and Servants.....	0	0	6			
„ Rations of Servants and others	14	1	6 $\frac{1}{2}$			
„ Sale of Gas Tar and old Slates, &c.	1	0	9			
„ Articles purchased for a Private Patient	1	1	2			
				168	12	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
„ Coffins paid for by Relatives of deceased Patients				4	15	0
„ Time of Engineer				100	0	0
<i>Garden and Land :—</i>						
For Potatoes, Vegetables, Fruit, &c.	360	10	0 $\frac{1}{2}$			
„ Pork and Pigs, consumed and sold.....	511	6	5 $\frac{1}{4}$			
„ Grains and Vetches	1	12	1			
„ Poultry	1	16	6			
„ Eggs.....	9	2	0			
„ Discount on Seeds	0	4	10			
„ Sale of Ashes	2	7	1 $\frac{1}{2}$			
„ Use of Boar	4	11	3			
„ Horse pumping water	38	9	0			
				929	19	3 $\frac{1}{4}$
				£9,573	5	6 $\frac{3}{4}$

PAYMENTS.

SALARIES AND WAGES.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Superintendent	420	0	0			
Chaplain	80	0	0			
Clerk to the Committee	100	0	0			
Clerk and House Steward	150	0	0			
Ditto ditto Assistant	30	0	0			
Matron	50	0	0			
Attendants, 10 Male, 13 Female	480	11	8			
Night Attendants, Male and Female	44	15	0			
Laundry Maids, 3	40	7	1			
Servants, Indoors, 3	42	6	1			
Engineer, Stokers, and Gasman, 4	236	9	6			
Gardener.....	54	12	0			
Labourers, 2	76	18	0			
Lodge Porter	31	16	0			
Cook and Baker	31	19	5			
				1,869	14	9

PROVISIONS.

Flour	lbs.	103,040	877	19	6
Poultry			6	1	1
Beef and Mutton	lbs.	55,272	1,552	12	8
Pork	lbs.	16,099 $\frac{1}{2}$	469	11	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Bacon	lbs.	1,241	37	9	2 $\frac{1}{4}$
Dripping	lbs.	1,411 $\frac{1}{4}$	41	3	2 $\frac{3}{4}$
Eggs	no.	5,760	28	16	0
Milk	qts.	13,398	139	14	7
Tea	lbs.	1,893	173	10	6
Coffee	lbs.	244	16	5	4
Moist Sugar	lbs.	7,840	130	13	4
Moist Sugar	lbs.	1,344	23	16	0
Loaf Sugar	lbs.	174	3	12	6
Fresh Butter	lbs.	1,056	72	10	0
Salt Butter	lbs.	7,401	370	1	0
Vegetables, &c.			352	10	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dutch Cheese	lbs.	2,356	63	16	2
Derby Cheese	lbs.	875 $\frac{1}{4}$	27	6	10 $\frac{3}{4}$
Pearl Barley	lbs.	434	3	9	0
Arrowroot	lbs.	34	1	14	0
Rice	lbs.	1,620	13	10	0
Tapioca	lbs.	61	1	0	4
Dried Fruit (Plums)	lbs.	754	15	14	2
Dried Fruit (Currants)	lbs.	809	13	9	8
Porter	pints	4,608	28	16	0
Ale X	pints	91,872	299	1	3
Ale XX	pints	23,040	108	0	0
Ale XXXX	pints	1,008	7	10	0
Port Wine	glasses	8,466	31	2	6
Sherry ...	glasses	1,224	4	10	0
Rum	glasses	204	1	8	0
Gin	glasses	816	4	16	0
Brandy	glasses	714	8	8	0
Salt	lbs.	4,144	3	14	0
Mustard	lbs.	147	7	7	0
Pepper	lbs.	102	2	19	6
Vinegar	pints	600	7	10	0
Carried forward			£4,951	8	10 $\frac{3}{4}$
			1,869	14	9

Provisions (continued).

			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	.....		4,951	8	10 ³ / ₄	1,869	14	9
Cloves	lbs.	1	0	2	0			
Tobacco	lbs.	202	35	7	0			
Snuff	lbs.	80	20	0	0			
Ginger	lbs.	3 ¹ / ₂	0	3	6			
Nutmegs	lbs.	2	0	6	0			
Oatmeal	lbs.	110	0	13	9			
Treacle	lbs.	28	0	4	8			
Yeast	lbs.	527 ¹ / ₂	3	10	4			
						5,011	16	1 ³ / ₄

NECESSARIES.

Dip Candles	lbs.	180	3	15	0			
Moulds, Composite	lbs.	36	1	7	0			
Coals	cwt.	16,189 ¹ / ₄	602	17	9 ³ / ₄			
Coal Carting	.....		121	8	4			
Fagots	no.	1,775	15	15	0			
Sperm Oil	pints	16	1	3	0			
Sweet Oil	pints	16	0	10	0			
Olive Oil	pints	88 ³ / ₄	4	4	2			
Yellow Soap	lbs.	6,944	110	1	0			
Soft Soap	lbs.	539	13	9	6			
Soda	lbs.	2,915	12	2	11			
Starch	lbs.	280	5	16	8			
Blue	lbs.	42	2	2	0			
Bees' Wax	lbs.	7	0	10	6			
Black Lead	lbs.	77	2	11	4			
Blacking	packets	720	0	17	6			
Hearth Stones	no.	1,152	9	12	0			
Bath Bricks	no.	144	1	16	0			
Fuller's Earth	lbs.	49	0	4	1			
Lump Whiting	lbs.	1,624	1	8	6			
Sand Paper	no.	108	0	2	3			
Emery Paper	no.	72	0	3	0			
Lime for Gas	qrs.	46	11	10	0			
Canary Seed	pints	24	0	5	0			
Rape Seed	pints	8	0	1	8			
Hemp Seed	pints	200	1	13	4			
Dubbin	lbs.	49	1	16	9			
Tobacco Pipes	doz.	672	5	12	0			
Horse Pumping	hours	1538	38	9	0			
						971	5	3 ³ / ₄

UTENSILS.

Hair Brooms	no.	36	4	19	0			
Single Banister	no.	6	0	8	0			
Double Banister	no.	6	0	19	0			
Scrubbing Brushes	no.	72	6	12	0			
Oil Brushes	no.	24	0	3	0			
Japanned Hearth Brushes	no.	12	0	15	0			
Shoe Brushes	no.	36	2	14	0			
Bass Brooms	no.	60	3	0	0			
Birch Brooms	no.	228	2	10	6			
Hair Brushes	no.	36	2	14	0			
Dusting Brushes	no.	6	0	18	0			
Dinner Plates	no.	324	4	4	9			
Pint Pots, Earthen	no.	288	5	8	0			
Half-pint pots, Earthen	no.	144	2	2	0			
White Chambers	no.	144	3	18	0			
Quart Blue Jugs	no.	36	1	19	0			
Carried forward			£43	4	3	7,852	16	2 ¹ / ₂

Utensils (continued).

			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward			43	4	3	7,852	16	2½
Tea Cups and Saucers	no.	60	0	19	0			
Milk Jugs	no.	6	0	2	0			
Bird Glasses	no.	12	0	2	0			
Lip Basins	no.	18	0	11	0			
Vegetable Dishes & Covers.	no.	18	1	14	6			
Seven-inch Plates	no.	84	1	8	0			
Blue Toilet Service	no.	12	1	13	0			
Flat Dishes.....	no.	42	1	15	0			
Sunderland Starch Pans ..	no.	21	1	15	9			
Sweep Brushes	no.	36	1	10	0			
Dressing Combs	no.	216	4	10	0			
Small Tooth Combs	no.	144	3	12	0			
Night Stool Pans	no.	12	1	4	0			
Tumblers.....	no.	36	0	12	0			
Wines	no.	36	0	15	0			
Gas Globes	no.	42	2	9	0			
Knives & Forks, Patients..	no.	144	2	10	0			
Knives & Forks, Attendants	no.	12	0	4	0			
Sundries			3	10	4			
						74	0	10

CLOTHING

Print, No. 1	yds.	1,302	48	16	6			
Dowlas Shirting	yds.	619	30	19	0			
Grey Calico	yds.	2,476½	82	11	0			
Croydon Calico	yds.	182½	6	1	8			
Shrouding Calico	yds.	550	13	15	0			
Linen Check	yds.	176	11	14	8			
Jean	yds.	210½	8	15	5			
Blue and Drab Cloth.....	yds.	163½	28	3	4			
Corduroy	yds.	267½	26	1	3			
Conduroy (suits)	no.	36	28	16	0			
Shawls, Wool.....	no.	36	6	0	0			
Woollen Hose	doz.	15	14	17	0			
Cotton Hose	doz.	26	19	10	9			
Cotton Socks	doz.	3	1	4	0			
Men's Scotch Caps	doz.	3	1	1	0			
Cloth Caps	doz.	9	5	17	0			
Bonnet & Neck Ribbon....	yds.	432	10	7	0			
Black Net	yds.	42¾	1	1	4			
Berkley's Handkerchiefs ..	doz.	36	15	18	0			
Pocket Handkerchiefs	doz.	12½	4	13	9			
Boot and Stay Laces.....	gross	48	6	12	0			
Four-hole Buttons, small..	gross	36	1	16	0			
Wood Buttons	gross	12	2	8	0			
Linen Buttons	gross	12	1	10	0			
Thread.....	lbs.	6	1	2	0			
Tape.....	doz.	33	6	1	6			
Pins	lbs.	8	0	16	0			
Needles	no.	7,400	2	3	2			
Grey and White Worsted..	lbs.	30	3	2	3			
Reel Cotton	doz.	120	24	0	0			
Knitting & Darning Cotton	lbs.	3	0	12	0			
Cotton Cord	lbs.	3	0	12	0			
Thimbles	gross	1	0	7	0			
Stays	doz.	3	7	4	0			
Stay Binding	doz.	1	0	3	6			
Leather Gloves	doz.	3	0	18	0			
Carried forward			£425.	11	1	7,926	17	0½

<i>Clothing (continued).</i>				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				425	11	1	7,926	17	6½
English Butt	lbs.	389	4 ozs.	39	9	7½			
Welting	lbs.	52	13 ozs.	4	1	8			
Kip	lbs.	193	11 ozs.	20	6	5			
Cordovan	lbs.	10	...	1	7	6			
Insoling	lbs.	183	10 ozs.	9	15	5¼			
Basil				0	10	0¼			
Binding				1	2	0			
Hemp, Nails, Tools, &c.				6	5	8			
Shoe Webb				0	7	0			
Making and Binding Boots and Shoes				25	2	9			
Cleaning and Making Bonnets				2	7	3			
Felt Hat				0	4	9			
Tailor's Wages				30	16	4			
Shoemaker's Wages				70	9	6			
							637	17	0

SURGERY AND DISPENSARY.

Drugs	48	8	4
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FUNERAL EXPENSES.

Carpenter, and Timber, &c., for Coffins made at the Asylum, and Burial Fees	25	19	0
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GARDEN AND LAND.

Straw	86	4	6
Hay	15	0	0
Oats	13	18	0
Beans and Peas	60	16	0
Barley	146	16	8
Pollard	83	5	0
Grinding Barley, &c.	13	1	4
Grains	39	5	8
Seeds, Shrubs, and Plants	15	5	7
Horse Shoes	1	15	0
Corn Sacks	1	4	0
Tobacco Paper	0	15	3
Harness Maker, &c.	0	5	8
Thrashing Machine	1	17	6
Labour and Carting	20	4	6
Horse Clothing	0	13	6
Castrator	1	0	6
Killing Pigs	5	10	6
Turnpikes	0	17	3
Drilling Land for Barley	3	11	0
Stakes	1	0	0
Garden Implements	2	5	6
Repair of ditto	6	1	2
Wall Nails	0	4	8
Manure	25	15	5½
Gishurst Compound and Lime	2	1	0
Cucumber Tubes	0	13	7
Pig Troughs and Carriage	6	2	3
Pulper	4	10	0
Tiffany	1	14	3
Fowls and Hen Eggs	2	17	6
			564 12 9½
Carried forward	£9,203 14 2		

MISCELLANEOUS.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward						9,203	14	2
Treasurer and Clerk to the Committee, Disbursements..			4	2	6			
Advertisements, Stationery, Postage & Receipt Stamps.			24	5	10			
Printing Books and Forms			60	17	6			
Binding Books, &c.			9	5	6			
Periodicals			8	9	6			
Bibles, Prayer Books, &c.			2	10	6			
Waste Paper			6	10	1			
Twine, Wash Leather and Sponges			19	7	3			
Cards, Cricket Bats, and Balls			2	7	6			
Cricket Field			3	0	0			
Cleaning and Repairing Clocks			11	13	6			
Travelling Expenses of Attendants and others, and Carriage of Parcels ..			17	1	11			
Conveyance of Letter Bags and Fee for Private Bag ..			3	4	6			
Entertainment and Music for Patients and Attendants			8	14	8½			
Gold Fish			0	8	0			
Tuning Pianoforte			1	0	0			
Art Union, for Pictures			1	2	3			
Bagatelle Balls, &c.			1	7	6			
Thermometers			2	14	0			
Escapes and Recapture of Patients			0	13	6			
Grinding Razors and Knives, &c.			0	13	2			
Razors and Paste			1	10	0			
Hair Pins			0	4	0			
Cabbage Nets			0	18	0			
Poor and other Rates			12	7	9½			
Wharfage and Weighing Coal, &c.			0	6	4			
Medical Attendance			1	1	0			
Charwoman, Attendants, and others			0	17	0			
Servants' Institution			1	1	3			
Marking Ink			1	1	0			
Fruit, Honey, &c.			2	15	9			
Chimney Sweep			1	0	0			
Gratuity to Laundry Maids			2	0	0			
Allowance to Attendants in lieu of Beer			2	16	0			
Repairing, Urinal and India Rubber Bottles			0	10	9			
Miscellaneous			6	13	2			
						224	11	3
EXTRAS (<i>on Discharge of Patients</i>).								
Allowance to William Mallett			0	5	0			
„ Henrietta Waldo			3	10	0			
„ James Thornton			0	10	0			
„ John East			0	10	0			
„ John Mustin			0	3	0			
Medical Certificate ditto			1	1	0			
Removal of Maria Harris			2	1	8			
„ Mary Robinson			1	8	10			
						9	9	6
By Transfer to Building and Repairs Account, excess of charge for the Maintenance of Patients belonging to the following Places and Unions beyond the Rate charged for Patients belonging to Unions in this County, viz.:—Barnet, Edmonton, Fulham, Hemel Hempstead, Littlemore Asylum (Oxford), Staines, Strand, Uxbridge....						134	5	4
By Transfer to Building and Repairs Account, excess of charge for the Maintenance of Private Patients, beyond the rate charged for Patients belonging to Unions in this County, viz., Hannah Arabella Fendick, John Taylor Finch, Maria Nicholls, William Pratt, William Stacey, Elizabeth Stears, Valentine Willifer, and Sarah Wyatt						63	14	2
						£9,635	14	5

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

BALANCE SHEET

Of Receipts and Payments between the 16th December, 1866, and the 21st December, 1867.

RECEIPTS.

From Maintenance of Pauper Patients	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
belonging to Unions in the County	7,638	16	1			
The like of other Unions	417	6	0			
The like of Criminal and other Lunatics						
chargeable to the County	75	13	4			
The like of Private Patients	186	13	1			

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Salaries and Wages	1,869	14	9			
Provisions	5,011	16	1 $\frac{3}{4}$			
Necessaries	971	5	3 $\frac{1}{2}$			
Utensils	74	0	10			
Clothing	637	17	0			
Surgery and Dispensary	48	8	4			
Funerals	25	19	0			
Garden and Land	564	12	9 $\frac{1}{2}$			
Miscellaneous	224	11	3			

„ Extras (on Discharge of Patients)	9,428	5	5	5
„ Transfer to Building and Repairs Account	197	19	6	
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer	9,635	14	5	5
	397	3	3	

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer

9,635	14	5
397	3	3

Balance in the hands of the House Steward from last year
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer from last year

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GARDEN AND FARM ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1867.

1866. Dec. 15.	To Live and Dead Stock in hand, valued at..	£ s. d.			1867. Dec. 21.	By amount of Produce supplied to the Asylum, viz., Pork, Eggs, Poultry, Vegetables, and Fruit	£ s. d.		
		626	14	9			833	0	0
1867.									
Dec. 21.	Wages paid to Head Gardener	54	12	0					
"	" Under Gardener....	37	9	0	"	Cash received for Pigs, Pork, and Vegetables sold, &c., &c.	58	10	3 $\frac{1}{4}$
"	" Labourers & Carting	20	4	6	"	" Horse, Pumping Water"	38	9	0
"									
"	Value of Patients' Labour								
"	Cash paid for Corn, Seeds, Grains, and Sundry Expenses	112	5	6					
"	Hog Wash	54	19	6					
"	Rent of Land on 17A. 1R. 2P. 34 10 6	544	8	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	Live and Dead Stock, valued at	929	19	3 $\frac{1}{4}$
"	Proportion of Rates and Taxes, &c.....	13	0	0			637	3	9
		39	16	7 $\frac{1}{2}$					
		1,391	4	8					
"	Balance	175	18	4 $\frac{1}{4}$					
		£1,567	3	0 $\frac{1}{4}$			£1,567	3	0 $\frac{1}{4}$

RICHARD ROBERTS HOLLYER,

Clerk and Steward of the Asylum.